

## MUST BUILD AUDITORIUM FOR SAENGERFEST

### LA CROSSE GETS FESTIVAL FOR 1908, PROVISIONALLY

Agitation for Great Building to be Pushed to Success at Once  
STAGE MUST ACCOMMODATE 2,000

Northwestern German Singers at Closing Session at St. Paul Decide to Come and Board of Trade is to Take up the Question

The big German northwestern saengerfest comes to La Crosse in 1908, but La Crosse will have to have a big auditorium before that time.

La Crosse was selected at the closing session of the biennial saengerfest, which was held at St. Paul yesterday.

**Wait for Bidders**

The selection of the next convention city, a matter which most of the delegates thought would have to be threshed out between the delegates of the larger cities, proved to be the reverse of what was expected. When the call for suggestions was made, instead of the wild clamor that usually follows such a call, there was a calm, unbroken silence in which neighbor looked to neighbor, each expecting to see the other rise and propose the name of a favored city. It was several moments before the delegates realized that no society had come prepared to suggest its home town for the next convention.

The effect was rather demoralizing, but after a few minutes, when the delegates had recovered from their surprise, each society began to name its own city for the meeting place, but in a half-hearted manner, clearly showing that such a thing had not been contemplated. Dubuque, Ia., seemed to have the prestige over the other cities mentioned, but shortly before the vote was to be taken a telegram was received from the Business Men's league of La Crosse, stating that that city contemplates the erection of an auditorium within the year such as will be capable of accommodating the saengerfest and asking that the city be given the option on the convention.

After a slight discussion, it was finally decided to do this, and on motion La Crosse was selected, conditionally, as the city in which to hold the next convention. The conditions are that the city build such an auditorium as will accommodate the society and that the local society make such other preparations as are necessary. The option of the Wisconsin town on the honor is good only three months, and if in that time a definite answer has not been rendered another selection will be made. Dubuque, having the prestige over the other cities at yesterday's meeting will be the alternate should La Crosse fail.

It will bring 5,000 singers to La Crosse. There will be between 1,600 and 2,000 singers on the stage at one time, which measures to some extent the importance of the event.

The festivities connected with the northwestern saengerfest came to a close at St. Paul yesterday with an all afternoon and evening picnic at Harriett island, a picturesque spot on the Mississippi river near here. Fully 50,000 people were on the grounds during the day.

The first event of the day was a business meeting at Mozart hall, when it was decided to hold next year's saengerfest at La Crosse. All the officers were re-elected, as follows:

President, Theodore G. Behrens, Chicago.

Vice president—Otto W. Rohland, St. Paul.

Secretary—George T. J. Kieck, Milwaukee.

Treasurer—E. O. Kney, Madison.

Librarian—John G. A. Wunder, Davenport, Ia.

Musical director—Theodore Kelbe, Milwaukee.

At 1 o'clock in the afternoon came the parade. The seventy-two singing societies, composing the saengerbund, were in line, with several German societies of the state. There were over 5,000 men in the procession, through which bands of music were interspersed.

### "PRESIDENT" TAKES SECOND MONEY

Fast La Crosse Horse Worsted by Gold Dust Maid at Windsor, Ont.

The President, Wilson & Robertson's fast racer, won second money at Windsor, Ont., in Saturday's 2:10 class trot. Gold Dust Maid taking the second and third heats with The President a close second. The President won the first heat by a nose, making the fastest time of the race, 2:08 1/4. The President is doing great work and big things are expected of him in the eastern races on the grand circuit.

Following is the result of the race:

2:10 trot, purse \$1,000:

Gold Dust Maid, blk. m., by Silverthorne (Geers) ..... 2 1 1

The President, b. h. (Loomis)..... 2 3

Oro, blk. g. (McCarthy)..... 5 3 2

Helen Norte, b. m. (Rutherford)..... 3 4 7

Belle C. br. m. (Higbee)..... 4 6 5

Prince Greenlander, br. g. (Ray)..... 6 7 4

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### BAKER'S HOME IS ROBBED

Thieves Secure \$95 this Morning

CROOKS KNEW SURROUNDINGS

Milkman Leaves House to go to Barn and Burglars Enter

Between 6 and 6:15 o'clock this morning thieves entered the home of Bert Baker, the milk man, 1421 Vine street, and escaped with between \$93 and \$95 in silver and bills, which was concealed in the drawer of a desk.

Mr. Baker arose at about 5:45 as is his custom to go to the barns, his wife remaining in bed.

Mrs. Baker heard someone walking about downstairs, but thought it was her husband. She glanced at the clock and it was ten minutes after 6.

When Mr. Baker returned to the house a few minutes later he discovered the robbery.

The thieves entered the kitchen door which had been left open and securing a key in the kitchen unlocked the door into the dining room. They searched as they went until they reached the desk of Mr. Baker, which they pried open. In one of the small drawers was a sack containing the silver, which they pocketed, together with the bills which had been folded in the bankbook, which was also in the drawer.

Perfect method indicates they were acquainted with the surroundings and they were not inexperienced.

Two rings and other valuables contained in the drawer were not molested, which is evidence that they were experienced enough to take nothing which could be identified when found.

Mr. Baker says he noticed that the dogs kept up a ceaseless barking from 3 o'clock until he arose, and that they had beaten a path between the barn and the house in their excitement during the night. From this it is taken that the robbers were sulking about the premises awaiting Mr. Baker's departure for the barns, before making the attempt.

Mr. Baker declares he seldom has money in the house in large amounts, but that as his collections were made on Saturday after the banks closed and he was forced to keep the cash on hand over Saturday and Sunday nights.

The police were called upon the case and made a minute examination of the premises and the surroundings, but up to a late hour this afternoon denied having any clew to the robbery.

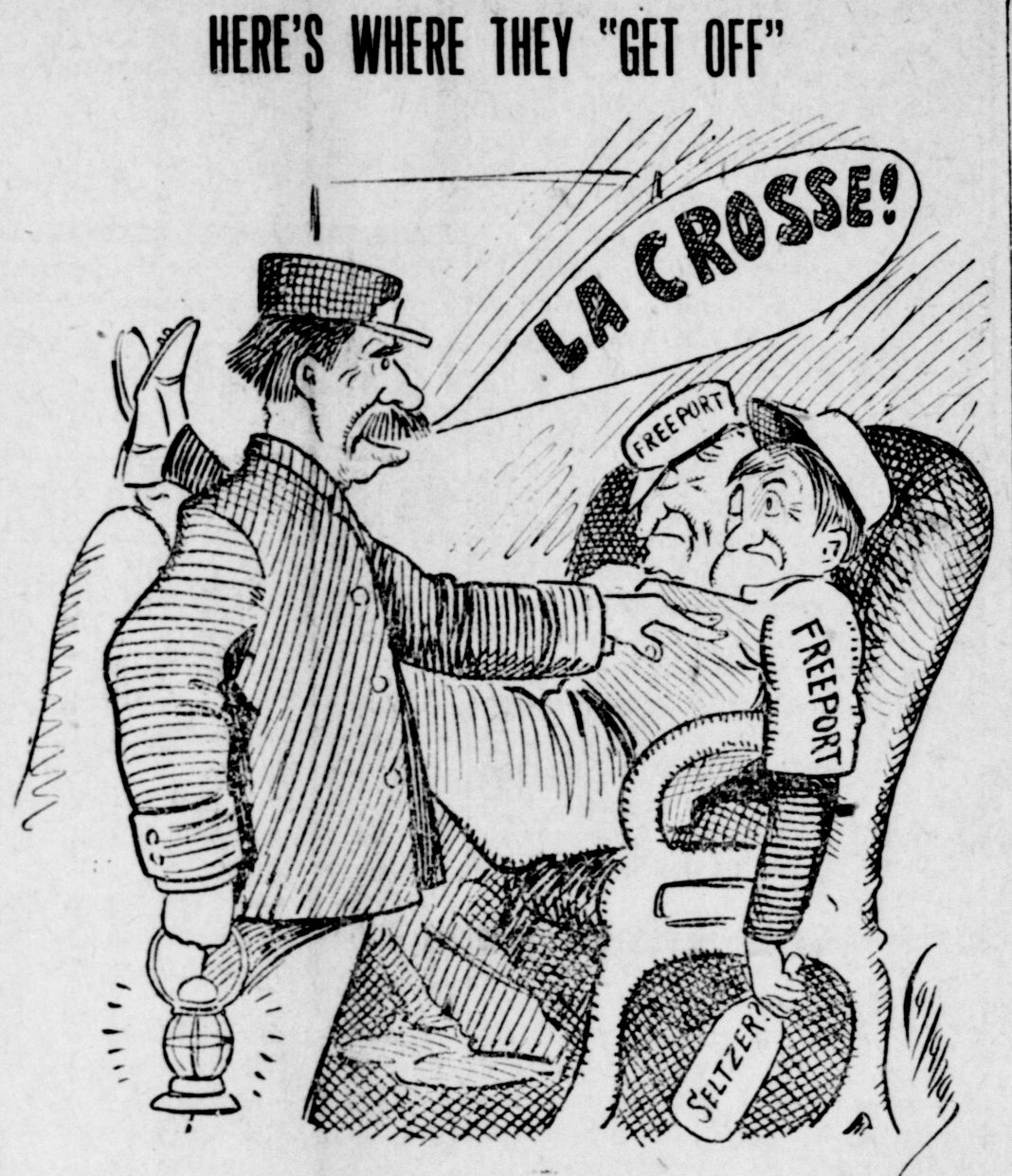
### WEATHER & WATER

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; no material change in temperature.

Coolest, 60; warmest, 83; wind, 4 miles.

The river will continue to fall steadily.

Stage of water, 5.3, a fall of .1.



### ARTHUR SWAN SAVED FROM DROWNING

Taken with Cramp and is Rescued by Swimming Instructor Fraser

Arthur Swan was saved from drowning this afternoon by Swimming Instructor William Fraser at the public bath.

Mr. Swan had just entered the water at the north end of the bath where it is exceptionally deep, and was swimming for the boom when he was suddenly taken with a cramp. Mr. Fraser, seeing his perilous condition immediately plunged into the water with the intention of pulling him to shore. When Mr. Swan came up for the first time he gave a violent kick which caught Mr. Fraser in the stomach knocking the wind out of him. He managed, however to turn the drowning man around and attempted to tread with him to the boom which was but a few feet away.

A life preserver was thrown out and the exhausted man placed upon it.

This is the sixth bather rescued by Instructor Fraser this year.

### TWO AFTER ESCH'S SEAT

A dispatch from Black River Falls says: C. F. Hille of that city is getting ready his nomination papers for member of congress for the Seventh district against Congressman Esch. Mr. Wells, mayor of Sparta, also is mentioned as a candidate. Wells was internal revenue collector under the Cleveland administration, but he was elected mayor of Sparta last spring on the republican ticket.

Mr. Esch has so entrenched himself in the Seventh district that it is extremely doubtful if any man can unseat him as long as he desires to remain in the position.

Mr. Hille is a young lawyer.

### THREE DIE; 14 HURT IN A WRECK

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., July 30.—Three are dead and fourteen were seriously injured in a wreck of the Pacific express of the New York Central eleven miles south of here.

It is likely that others will die.

The dead:

ENGINEER WELLS.

FIREMAN MILLS.

JACK HARL, trainman.

The wreck was caused by a landslide, rains having loosened the stones and dirt from the bluffs above.

### DID NOT MURDER GENERAL TREPOFF

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

ST. PETERSBURG, July 30.—There is no truth in the report that General Trepoft was assassinated. Stolypin still believes the people will accept his plan for agrarian reforms. He declares the continued quiet is not ominous, but indicative of the people's faith in the government despite the attempts of the terrorists to cause an upheaval.

### GERMANS KILLED 50 FOR SILENCE

CAPE TOWN, July 30.—A German return from German Africa says soldiers have resorted to barbarous methods to subdue the rebellious natives. He says they once killed fifty women because they refused to reveal the hiding place of Chief Marengo.

### TWO KILLED IN BOILER EXPLOSION

VINCENNES, Ind., July 30.—A boiler at the Vincennes paper mill exploded this morning and killed Harry Borders, aged 50, master mechanic, and Lafayette Lichey, a machinist, aged 35. Twenty-five others were injured.

### LYNCHERS STRUGGLE WITH SHERIFF FOR BLACK BRUTE

### IOWA STATE CONVENTION TROUBLE

Perkins May Not be Candidate Even if Stand-Patters Win

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

DES MOINES, Ia., July 30.—The republican state committee met this afternoon to arrange for the state convention Wednesday. It is stated there will be 1,640 delegates, 300 of which are contested. It is likely there will be two conventions. Secretary Shaw is in the state and says he is "Just looking on."

It is said Perkins will not be given the nomination even if the standpatters win, but that Rathbun or some compromise candidate will be chosen. The withdrawal of Cummins from the strict revision stand brought him much strength and it is expected to bring him the antirailroad standpatters' support.

Cummins is not represented before the state committee, but it is known his supporters will not recognize the action of the committee is the standpatter delegates are seated.

It seems certain there will be a fight on the floor of the convention.

### ROOT IS GETTING ALL ATTENTION

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

RIO JANEIRO, July 30.—Root's reception is causing hard feelings among the delegates from the South American republics, as they cannot see why a representative of America should receive so much attention.

### DENVER WANTS NATIONAL DEMS.

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

DENVER, Colo., July 30.—This city has started a campaign to get the democratic national convention in 1908.

### STOLE EVIDENCE FROM A TRUNK

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 30.—A detective this morning testified he secured the compromising letters used in evidence in favor of Hartje from Madine's trunk at the time Madine reported the robbery to the police.

### NEGRO MURDERED ENTIRE FAMILY

WOMAN TRIED TO KILL HIM

For Outragous Abuse of Little Girl and Murders Follow

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

CANNONBURG, Pa., July 30.—The officers returned this morning with Elmer Dempster, aged 19, a negro, and charged him with the murder last night of Mrs. Samuel Pearce, her two children and the shooting of the third child.

Dempster was employed on the place as a farm hand and was the last person seen about since the tragedy.

No blood stains were found on him, but the officers believe they have good grounds for holding him.

It is claimed the police obtained a confession. The police say the negro told them he was accustomed to abusing the 4-year-old daughter of Pearce and last night she told her mother, who tried to shoot him. He wrestled the revolver from her and killed her, and Margaret, aged 4, Robert, aged 3, and shot the infant, Dwight, lying in its cradle.

**Mob Is Worst**

WASHINGTON, Pa., July 30.—Officers brought Dempster from Cannonburg this morning to prevent a lynching. A mob of twenty boarded the train just outside of Cannonburg and demanded the officers take the prisoner from the car.

In the struggle the officers were victorious without killing anybody.

Three hundred men met the party at the station here and surrounded the courthouse crying, "Lynch him."

### FRANCE EXPRESS-ES HER REGRETS

PARIS, July 30.—The government has instructed the French embassy at Washington to express to the American government the deepest regrets of France at the killing of Lieutenant England. The authorities are awaiting fuller reports before fixing the responsibility and determining upon a disciplinary course.

### SPORTING EXTRA

Innings..... 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 Final

La Crosse . . . 0 0 0 2 0 3 0 0 1—

Freeport . . . 1 0 2 0 0 2 0 0 1—

BATTERIES: La Crosse—Bubs er and Killian. Freeport—Scott and Erickson.



## BEST CROPS OF A DECADE BEING RAISED

The crops now being harvested along the lines of the Chicago & Northwestern road west of La Crosse are the most excellent ever produced in this territory both as to quantity and quality. This is the tenor of the crop report issued today, based not only on views of correspondents but on a personal trip through the territory by the crop inspector. The report says:

Since the last report, or for just one week, the weather was dry and moderately warm, and the harvest of oats and barley progressed quite rapidly over the entire line and will be concluded next week. Some machines are threshing, and some barley and oats are in stacks. One report of threshing at Anderson, Minn., a point on this line, shows a yield of forty-five bushels of barley per acre.

Last night there was a light rain in South Dakota and a heavy rain from Tyler east as far as Kasson, and western Minnesota grain is lodged. To just what extent at this time it is unable to be stated, but it is thought there will be some damage from this cause, but only to wheat, as oats and barley are ready to cut and will be gathered.

The last week has been excellent for filling the berry and this will have an excellent effect on the yield when harvested. The wheat harvest will begin Monday and will be general by the last of next week or during the first week in August, at which time all other grain excepting flax and corn will be secured with no damage except as above stated.

At the present time the crops are the most excellent ever produced in this territory, considering both quality and quantity, there being positively no damage from hail or rust, and but little smut in any locality, and there can be no damage except from storms from this state.

## Sunday Closing Enforced in Missouri

MADISON, Wis., July 30.—Governor Folk of Missouri, who spoke at Monona Lake assembly this afternoon, criticized the nonenforcement of the Sunday law of Wisconsin. He said:

"Wisconsin has on the statute books a law requiring the closing of saloons on Sunday. The law is universally ignored. The enforcement of the Sunday closing law in Missouri reduced Sunday crime 40 per cent and improved the condition of workingmen and business generally.

"I believe United States senators should be elected by popular vote and have appointed a delegation from Missouri to meet at Des Moines with others to start a movement to amend the constitution to that end."

"What do you think of the possibilities of William Jennings Bryan being elected president?" he was asked.

"On a mission of the nature I am on here today I refuse to talk politics of any sort," replied Governor Folk.

"What do you think of La Follette?"

"I admire the work of La Follette."

## YOUNG SAYS

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25c a quart

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3. A HOLIDAY IN THE COUNTRY, OR THE MISCHIEVOUS KIDS.
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5. THE GREAT ROMANTIC STORY—OR LIFE OF AN AMERICAN SOLDIER.

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**Illustrated Songs:**

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and from 7:30 to 11 P. M.

very much, although I have never had the pleasure of meeting him. His work as governor and senator has been of vast importance. He is one of the real leaders of the people."

## RICE LAKE FIRE COSTS \$85,000

RICE LAKE, Wis., July 30.—In one of the most destructive fires in the history of this city, just after midnight, the brick department store of the Parker Nilsen Mercantile company and the large stock of goods were destroyed. The loss may reach \$80,000.

There was an explosion in the interior of the building, the flames breaking out throughout the entire building, so that it was impossible to save any of the contents. The fire department had several streams on the fire within a few minutes after the alarm, and the steamer also started to assist. The fire was confined to the building in which it started.

Soon after the fire started a second explosion occurred, this one being in the adjoining building occupied by West & Anderson as a hardware store, with the central telephone office and other offices in the second story.

This explosion blew out the plate glass front, tore off a part of the roof and did considerable damage in the office and in the Citizens' bank, which occupied the north half of the building.

The loss is estimated at from \$75,000 to \$85,000, partially covered by insurance. The Parker Nilsen company had \$40,000 on stock and \$11,000 on the building. West & Anderson have the same amount of insurance. Mutual companies ad \$5,000 of the insurance on the damaged property, the remainder being carried by stock companies.

M. T. Howard, who owns the burned building, says it will be rebuilt at once.

### EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, Mo.

An Ideal Summer and Winter Health Resort

An attractive book of thirty-two pages with twenty-one illustrations descriptive of Excelsior Springs, its medicinal waters, its hotels and train service, has just been published by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway. It will be sent to any address for 4 cents' postage.

F. A. MILLER,  
General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

### TO COLORADO FOR SUMMER

Via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway

Why not take a trip to Colorado this summer and enjoy the climate and scenery of the Rocky mountains? The rates are low and the through train service of the St. Paul-Union Pacific line excellent. Ask the nearest agent about rates, routes and train service, or write today to F. A. Miller, general passenger agent, Chicago.

Colorado-California book sent to any address for 6 cents' postage.

"Civilization is the eternal sacrifice of one generation to the next"; and, in a smaller way, this is true—as in store-keeping, where a portion of today's profits pay the tax (the publicity cost) on tomorrow's bigger profits—and these, in turn, feed and nurture and lift the enterprise to greater strength and security.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

## SUGAR BEETS ABOUT VICINITY DOING WELL

Sugar beets in this vicinity, while not so large as in some previous years, will likely have better sugar qualities. This is the statement made by Benjamin Sherry of Stockton, who has just completed a round of the farms in this section where sugar beets are being grown this year. Mr. Sherry, who is representing the Chippewa Falls beet sugar factory has been able to give the beet growers some practical suggestions to help them in their work.

Mr. Sherry says the most of the work to be done in the growing of the sugar beets will be through with this week until the time comes for the harvesting of the beets in October. Up to the present time there has been a good deal to do in thinning out the beets, cultivating them, etc., but after the present cultivation this work will not be required. The absence of heavy rains for some weeks past has rather retarded the growth of the beets, but Mr. Sherry says this may not be a bad thing as when there is too much moisture there is a tendency to detract from the sugar-making qualities of the beet and while the tonnage may be smaller there will likely be just as much sugar made therefrom as when the beets were larger.

In one field that he recently visited Mr. Sherry found the growth of the beets downward retarded, unusually sharp points being developed. He thought the trouble was due to insufficient cultivation, and so told the owner of the field. Thereupon the beets were given a thorough cultivation and they were in a much better condition.

Another field he visited will not do as well as last year owing to the fact that the thinning out of the beets was not done at the proper time. The proper time came when the owner was busy gathering a large strawberry crop. He did not want to lose the berries, and the thinning of the beets was postponed until the best opportunity for doing this work was over.

## FINED FOR PRACTIC- ING WITHOUT A LICENSE

TOMAH, Wis., July 30.—On complaint of Dr. Sables of Sparta, president of the state board of medical examiners, Dr. Jacobson, a traveling specialist, was arrested here and pleaded guilty. He was fined \$50 and costs. Dr. Jacobson said he was taking the place of the regular specialist, who had a state license.

### Brush Your Eyebrows.

Do you ever brush your eyebrows? You look after your hair and hands with religious care. But perhaps it never occurs to you that your eyebrows might be improved by a little attention. Buy a soft little eyebrow brush, made especially for this purpose, and night and morning brush the brows in the way they should go. If they aren't going the right way then train them to. Suppose they are too thin. Then keep handy a little sweet almond oil and before brushing put a few drops of this on the finger tip and gently rub it into the eyebrow. If the lashes are short and scanty do the same thing to them. Treatment of this sort ought to make a noticeable difference in a few months. A very simple tonic for the eyebrows is composed of red vaseline and boracic acid, five grains of the former to five of the latter. Make into a smooth paste and apply at night.



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## NORTH SIDE

### MANY CAMPERS NEAR WEST LA CROSSE

West La Crosse is becoming noted as a summer resort. One of the most pretty places is at the head of the island near Rice lake where several cottages have been erected with a pavilion for dancing.

Another is near French lake. Tents are pitched at both of these places and at the latter place is located Watter-son's cottage.

A large number of people spent Sunday there. The road to West La Crosse is very bad, however, and two teams can hardly pass without endangering the occupants, especially if it is one of the large busses.

## NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

William Colgan was in Winona yesterday.

Frank Haefner, Tribune carrier on route No. 6 on the North side, is spending a few days in Minneapolis this week.

Mrs. R. E. Cody of West Allis, Milwaukee, is the guest of relatives and friends on the North side.

Mrs. Clara B. Sloane returned today from Crestline, O., where she has been for several weeks accompanied by Mrs. Archie Smith and family.

The Airts defeated the Onalaska team yesterday by a score of 7 to 10. They play at Lansing today.

John Dugan and Harry Tucker, two young men who have traveled extensively in the United States, were over from Milwaukee yesterday. They went to Winona on the J. S. in the afternoon and returned home via the Northwestern last evening.

Mrs. M. M. Conley of Minneapolis, is the guest of relatives and friends on the North side for a few days, the guest of Mrs. F. C. Lampman.

Work has been finished on the side track which has been changed by the La Crosse Street Railway company on the causeway and they are now engaged in putting in a new crossing over the Burlington track.

Much improvement is being made by the city on the bicycle path. All the weeds are being removed from both sides making it about four times as wide.

Alex Black spent yesterday in Winona.

Archie and Charles Mosher were in Winona yesterday.

Mrs. B. Elson and family of Kane street, are visiting in Holmen.

H. J. Johnson of the Lavaque grocery store, is in Lansing, Ia., today.

### NEWBOOK ON SOUTH DAKOTA

By the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway

A new book descriptive of South Dakota, its resources and opportunities, as just been published by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway. The first chapter tells all about Lyman county and the rest of the territory west of the Missouri river recently made accessible by railway extensions. The book will be sent to any address for 2 cents' postage.

F. A. MILLER,  
General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

It is said that the Puritans stopped bear-baiting—not because it caused pain to the bear, but because it afforded pleasure to the spectators. If your landlord, your partner or your employer seeks to "rule" you on the same theory, "kick over the traces" and read the want ads.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

## RACINE SHOEMAKER INVENTS NEW AIRSHIP

RACINE, Wis., July 30.—John Kremonak, aged 25, a shoemaker, has received a patent on an airship, the construction of which is along entirely different lines from any present flying machines. The gas bag, which supports the framework in air, is cigar-shaped, but instead of lying parallel to the body of the machine it is tilted at the front. Its feature, it is claimed, greatly increases the carrying power.

The new and unique feature of the invention, however, is the propelling apparatus. A worm wheel is encased in a cylinder which lies above and parallel to the body of the machine.

The wheel is driven by a small gasoline engine. The action of the wheel takes the air from the front of the machine through the cylinder and throws it out at the back with force enough to drive the car through space.

Another feature is the steering apparatus and the gear for raising and lowering the machine. The gear is a triangular frame covered with silk and fixed to the front end of the propelling cylinder so that it can be inclined in any direction according to the velocity of wind or the height desired.

This can also be used as a steering gear in case the regular rudder, which is fixed at the back of the machine, is incapacitated.

### 120 ACRE FARM near Trempealeau.

80 cultivated, 40 acres wood and hay land, 7 lots in town, 8 room house, 2 barns, granary, ice house, chicken coop, hog pen, machine shed, windmill and 1900 crop worth \$1,000, all for \$3,000.

60 acre farm seven and a half miles from La Crosse in Mormon colony, 43 acres cultivated, 15 acres timber and pasture, 5 room house, two barns, new machine shed, two acres strawberries, sixty fruit trees, \$2,500.

100 acres very choice farm land in North Dakota, \$1,600.  
FRANK G. ROTH, Fourth and Pearl.

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# BASE BALL

Wisconsin State League

## FREEPORT

VS

## LA CROSSE

At League Park, La Crosse, Wis.

July 29, 30, 31 & Aug. 1, '06

As these two teams are conceded to be the strongest in the league, the fans who attend this series will witness good close games, as both teams are in good condition and both playing first-class ball.

As the citizens of La Crosse are anxious to see the home team retain the pennant, it is hoped that all those who can attend the opening game (Sunday) will do so, and also attend the other games, for the reason that a good attendance assures good ball. The last series between these teams was well patronized and the home team won four straight games. Give us the same patronage and the team will endeavor to take four more games from the Freeport team, and again place the La Crosse team in first place.

**Come as we need good roofers.**

**Admission 25c; Grand Stand 35c**

Reserved seats 50 cents, on sale at Adam Forschler's and Fay Lewis Bros' Cigar Store, Main Street.  
Be sure and purchase your tickets at the above places and avoid the rush at the ticket office. Tickets on sale Saturday morning.

John A. Elliot, Pres.  
J. F. McDonough, Sec.  
Pink Hawley, Mgr.

## Harvest Hands Wanted

**GREAT  
NORTHERN  
RAILWAY**

A bountiful harvest is assured in the great wheat belt of Minnesota, North and South Dakota, making it necessary for the farmers to secure a large number of extra hands. Recognizing this great need the

**Great Northern Ry.**

will make the following low rates to this district for each person, where five or more travel on one ticket

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Minneapolis	-	-	6.50
Duluth	-	-	6.50
Sioux City	-	-	9.50
Omaha	-	-	12.50
Council Bluffs	-	-	12.50
Chicago	-	-	14.50
Peoria	-	-	14.50
Des Moines	-	-	14.50
St. Joe, Mo.	-	-	15.50
Kansas City	-	-	16.50
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## LABOR FAMINE MAY SERIOUSLY HANDICAP HARVEST

The annual labor famine is now on and farmers cannot secure needed help. There seems to be plenty of men, but they will not work, and therein lies the difficulty. Another cause attributed to the scarcity of labor, which is said by the employment bureaus to be more marked than ever, is the incessant demands of the railroads for men to help on construction work. One St. Paul agency Tuesday evening alone sent out thirty men for railroad work on the Northern Pacific at Fargo.

While the shortage in the vast wheat fields of the Dakotas and the west will be keenly felt, the real strain will fall upon the Minnesota and Wisconsin farmers. It is almost impossible to secure men for work on Minnesota farms for the reason that they all want to go west, where "big money" is to be made. Already the Minnesota farmers have set up a hue and cry for help. Although the season is hardly on, \$2 and \$2.50 a day with board is offered freely, but there are few takers. Work in the western wheat fields will not begin for two weeks, but while there are men out of employment around the city they cannot be persuaded to put in their spare time.

Every day the city employment agencies receive frantic demands from all parts of the state for farm hands at almost any price, but are unable to begin to supply the demand. And at the same time the railroads are constantly pouring in orders for men. As a result, the demand is so much greater than the visible supply that the annual bugbear is booming up in alarming proportions.

While the railroads secure the bulk

of the laborers, they are unable to hold them, as many of the men simply hire out in order to secure free transportation to the west. Once there they desert the railroad camps and wander through the country until they are snatched up by the eager farmers. It is very doubtful under the present conditions if some of the roads will be able to finish their extensions by the time the crops are ready to be moved.

These are bad days for the professional hoboes, as they are obliged to keep low. They are not tolerated in the small towns nor the cities, as there is plenty of work and no excuse for loafing. Even out in the country they are compelled to dodge farmers, who walk out to meet them on the tracks and actually plead with them to make them work. This is also a bad season for the employment agencies, as inability to supply the demand results in dissatisfaction, while on the other hand they are obliged to keep constantly on the alert for the "hobs" who hire out on the railroads simply to avoid walking.

Frequently the advice to go out and work on a farm during the summer is given to young men of the cities, but the sentiment is not encouraged by the employment men. In fact they frown most discouragingly when an applicant whose appearance does not at once proclaim him to be a son of toil presents himself and in very few cases are hired out. Willingness to work is not regarded as much of a virtue when a man's appearance belies his ability to stand up under the strain of twelve to fourteen hours of the hardest kind of work every day in the week.

## Mistake Cause of Death

DAVENPORT, Ia., July 30.—Miss Celeste Mongothe of St. Louis, met death under peculiar circumstances at a fashionable boarding school in Rock Island, Ill.

Miss Mengothe, a guest at the school, was a sufferer from muscular rheumatism. She procured from the medicine chest at the school a bottle containing corrosive sublimate or bichloride of mercury dissolved in wood alcohol. Mistaking the mixture for a liniment, Miss Mengothe had it rubbed on her back in such quantities that extensive burns resulted, followed by poisoning. She died after six days of intense suffering.

## FIGHT FOR BOUCK ESTATE CARRIED TO HIGH COURT

OSHKOSH, Wis., July 30.—In circuit court Judge George W. Burnell handed down his opinion and decision in the matter of the construction of the will of the late Gabriel Bouck. Judge Burnell's opinion is a long one, covering nearly ten typewritten pages, and in it he reviews the case thoroughly, closing with a finding in favor of the contention made by the executor, George Hilton, that the estate is to be divided into four equal parts.

The matter was taken to the circuit

court upon an appeal from the finding of County Judge C. D. Cleveland, whose construction of the will was different. When the executor filed his petition for probate of the will in county court he set forth in the petition that it was his belief that Colonel Bouck intended dividing his estate into four equal parts, giving each branch of the family mentioned in the will one equal part.

The county court in its decision did not adopt this view, but gave two-thirds to the Mary Murray and Mary Ronan branches and divided the other third between Sarah Brumagim and the heirs of Kittie Hubbard and William C. Bouck branches, each getting one-sixth of the entire estate. From this decision the executor, George Hilton, appealed, as did also William C. Bouck of this city and the Brumagim and Hubbard heirs.

The case will probably be appealed.

## FUGITIVE EMULATES ROLE OF DIETZ

MENOMINEE, Mich., July 30.—Coleman, Marinette county, Wisconsin, has a "John Dietz of Cameron dam fame." Unlike John Dietz, however, he has been captured, committed to the insane asylum, escaped, returned to his farm and is now holding the officers of the law at bay.

John Bartos, a farmer and woodsman, living near Coleman, Wis., is holding off the officers of Marinette county at the point of his rifle. Two years ago Bartos held up a large log drive on the Peshtigo river for several weeks, defying the efforts of the officers to capture him. He maintained that the lumber company had no right to drive logs into his farm without permission.

At last the man was captured by strategy and after spending some time in the county jail he was examined as to his sanity, being committed to the insane asylum at Oshkosh and later at Green Bay. He succeeded in escaping from the latter place and has defied all efforts of the authorities to recapture him. No one dares go near his farm at night. He has a large family, all of whom help him to repel the invaders.

## CANNED FISH FATAL

MERRILL, Wis., July 30.—Ole H. Thompson died suddenly yesterday afternoon as the result of ptomaine poisoning contained in a can of sardines. This is the second case of poisoning that has occurred here recently. The first, while serious, has not resulted fatally.

There is much poor advertising done which does not wholly fail, for even random shots will find occasional targets. Yet purposeful, planned advertising, and the right medium, the right persistence, the right amount of space cost less (even on the original outlay) than the other kind.

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At the Unique theater this week there will be exhibited a picture show of unsurpassed excellence. Nothing to equal it has ever been seen in this section of the country. The illustrated songs are said to be unusually attractive, and the singers stars of repute.

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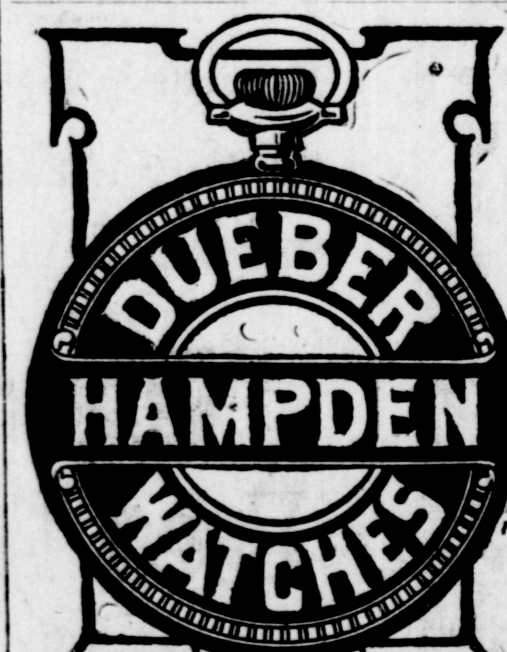
Beginning tonight these high-grade pictures will be on exhibition, and the public is invited to witness an entertainment the excellence of which will not be questioned.

## Lawson's Son Weds Widow

NEW YORK, July 30.—Arnold Lawson, the eldest son of Thomas W. Lawson of "Frenzied Finance" fame, was married at St. Thomas church to Mrs. Lucie Mitchell Seeley, the divorced wife of Herbert E. Seeley, the divorced wife of the late P. T. Barnum.

The couple have been engaged for several months and the wedding had been set to take place in October. Much to the surprise of their friends they determined suddenly to get married, summoned two friends and the bride's mother, Mrs. T. A. McIntyre, and hurried to St. Thomas church, where the Rev. J. B. Wasson tied the knot.

After the wedding the couple hurried to the home of the bride's mother, where a wedding breakfast was served. After the breakfast they took



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## ROMANCE OF CHILDHOOD IS CONSUMMATED IN MILWAUKEE

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 30.—Alvina Mathilda Jeonen, a comely maid of Finland, was married to Oscar Alexander Star, who, until the arrival of his betrothed in Milwaukee a few days ago, had not seen her since she was an infant 2 years of age.

The wedding took place at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the English Lutheran Church of the Ascension, Reed and Scott streets. The Rev. Gustav Stearns officiated. Owing to the bride's limited knowledge of the English tongue Oscar Wicksstrom, Hancock, Mich., the best man, interpreted the service. Hulda Nykanen was the maid of honor.

When Alvina was a babe Oscar Star became enamored of her and vowed to make her his wife some day. This was in Finland nearly twenty years ago. The ambitious prospective bride confided his aspirations to Alvina's parents and was made happy by their best wishes that his suit might end as

he desired.

The liberty loving people of Finland were oppressed by the tyrannical government of Russia. With a party of others Oscar came to the United States and toiled from morn to night to provide a home for his sweetheart. As she grew to womanhood a correspondence between her and her lover was brought about by relatives who had proudly watched Oscar's achievements in the new world.

A few weeks ago he sent her passage and upon the next ship she journeyed to America. A few days after toasty preparations for the wedding, her arrival in Milwaukee were devoted to a marriage license was obtained and Judge L. W. Halsey granted a special dispensation that the wedding might take place at once.

There are many refugees from Finland coming to Milwaukee, and they are a people of higher intelligence than many of the immigrants who come here.

## Sheriff Guards new Evidence in Mystery

WAUKESHA, Wis., July 30.—Since the coroner's jury in the Hookstedt case returned its verdict that the aged farmer came to his death by strangulation and wounds from some blunt instrument in the hands of an unknown person, new evidence has come to light that will aid materially in bringing the guilty one to justice, but the evidence is closely guarded.

The prisoner, Otto Pruefert, maintains his innocence. Mrs. Hookstedt, who left her home because of the trouble existing there through the quarrels of her husband and son-in-law, and went to live with her son, not far away, is in a precarious condition and may not survive.

At the Hookstedt home several rooms were locked with padlocks, and these have been forced by the sheriff. The room set apart as Mr. Hookstedt's bedroom is reported to have been a most wretched place. Sheriff King says it was hardly suitable for a human being. The bed consisted of an old straw tick with a dirty pillow and no coverings save one tattered quilt. The floor was littered with chaff.

## Clear City of Hobos

DUBUQUE, Ia., July 30.—This city is rid of tramps. The last of the hoboes has been chased over the high bridge. Chief of Police Pickley has so reported to Mayor Schunk.

When Mayor Schunk took the city government into his hands, he made a resolve that no one should reside in the city for any length of time who could not prove visible means of existence. He gave orders to the chief of police to rout out all tramps who infested every old barn and every old factory in the railroad districts.

Day after day since the time the chief and his officers have been making visits to the railroad yards, to the old mills and to the old icehouses.

"The newspaper size" of a store—the relative space of its advertisements, compared with those of its competitors—is more in the public mind than the actual size of its buildings or salesrooms.

## SAVE SEVEN FROM DASABLED BOAT

KENOSHA, Wis., July 30.—The Kenosha life saving crew last night saved the lives of seven people on board the yacht Jingo, which had sailed from this port. When the yacht was a mile from the harbor its main-sail broke and for more than two hours the craft drifted at the mercy of the waves. There was a big blow on the lake and the lifesavers had some trouble reaching the disabled yacht. The members of the yachting party were badly frightened but escaped uninjured.

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## LA CROSSE FAILED TO GET SCANDINAVIAN WORKMEN

Governor Davidson Failed to Take up Political Issues at Their Convention Saturday

La Crosse made a bid for, but failed to land, the Independent Scandinavian Workmen's association convention which closed Saturday afternoon after it was decided to hold the next convention at Minneapolis. Other cities which bid for the convention were Superior, La Crosse and Duluth. These officers were elected: President, John Kindahl, Eau Claire; vice president, Ed M. Sandahl, Black River Falls; secretary, P. J. Smith, Eau Claire; treasurer, Louis Lanson, Cumberland; head physician, Dr. C. H. Mason, Superior.

It was decided that a policyholder of the association, when he reaches the age of 70 years, shall receive 10 per cent of the policy each year until paid and that at that age all dues and assessments shall stop. It was decided to pay one-fourth of a member's policy in case of total disability. An extension fund was created to organize lodges in more states of the union.

The question of admitting women to membership was voted down, mainly because women did not desire such privilege, thinking it would injure the auxiliary lodge Scandinavian Sisters of America. Tonight the delegates attended a banquet. Among the speakers are Gov. James O. Davidson and Congressman John J. Jenkins.

Contrary to expectations, Gov. Davidson failed to mention politics during his banquet speech. He confined his remarks to points of interest to the association and did not even mention the campaign. He was loudly applauded upon his appearance.

The Scandinavian Sisters of America elected these officers: President, Mrs. Margaret Larson, Superior; vice president, Mrs. Anna Burg, secretary, Karan Boyesen, Superior; financial secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Lulia Larson, Ashland; marshal, Mrs. Inga Sathar, Minneapolis, Minn.; trustee, Mrs. Hilda Thompson, Duluth.

## SON OF EX-GOV. RUSK DIES AT LUTHERAN HOSPITAL

Prominent Viroqua Man Succumbs to an Operation for Appendicitis on Sunday here

Blain: D. Rusk, youngest son of former Governor and Mrs. J. M. Rusk, died Sunday at the Lutheran hospital.

He suffered an attack of appendicitis about ten days ago and was removed to the Lutheran hospital in this city from his Viroqua home on Friday morning. He was operated on Friday afternoon. Following the operation

the heart grew weak and nothing could help him.

He is survived by his mother and sister Mary, who reside at Viroqua, a brother, L. J. Rusk of Chippewa Falls, and Mrs. Craig, a sister, of Asheville, N. C.

His funeral probably will be held Tuesday afternoon under the auspices of the Masons.

## ROY WESCOTT DROWNED NEAR FORT SNELLING

Former La Crosse Boy Dives From Old Scow and Body is Found Three Hours Later

Roy J. Wescott was drowned last Wednesday in one of the lakes opposite Fort Snelling. He with two other companions went to the lake about 5 o'clock to bathe. The others were swimming around in the water when Wescott dove from an old flat scow

into the lake. They waited for him to come to the top, but in vain. Becoming frightened they began to dive for him and after three hours' search they found the body.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Wescott formerly of La Crosse, but now of Milwaukee. David Wescott was the engineer at the pump house for many years. Roy Wescott was 21 years old.

The remains will be shipped here tonight and will arrive on the 6 o'clock Burlington. The funeral will be held direct from the depot. Rev. J. S. Lowe will officiate and Miller Brothers will be in charge. Interment will be made in Oak Grove.

The J. S. took about 700 La-Crosse people to Lansing this morning.

## SMALL FIRE CAUSES BAD SCARE THIS MORNING

The fire department was called out this morning to extinguish a fire at the home of Max Bratin, a peddler, residing at 1330 Badger street.

The fire is said to have been started by children playing with matches in one of the bedrooms. The damage to the building amounted to about \$100 and was fully covered by insurance.

A scare was caused by the circulation of the report that the La Crosse hospital was afire, the blaze being in that vicinity. The hospital, however, was not in danger.

## MESSMER TO ATTEND CONSECRATION OF CHAPEL

According to word received here Archbishop Messmer will be among those attending the consecration of Maria Angelorum chapel at St. Rose's chapel, next week.

## HAVE CASH READY FOR WATER POWER

As a result of the announcement that \$3,000,000 has become available, the success of the La Crosse Water Power company is said to be practically assured.

This announcement was made Saturday. An Illinois traction company official will soon take charge of the construction of the dam on Black river.

## ELKS PAY FOR THE STATE MEETING

According to the reports of the various committees everything is progressing rapidly and the success of the convention to be held here Aug. 7, 8 and 9 by the Elks is assured.

All money necessary for the entertainment of the visitors has been contributed by the members of the local lodge.

### DO IT NOW

Those who expect to attend the Wisconsin Business University should make their arrangements this month, as it is our intention to withdraw all special offers the first of August. Those desiring information relative to special terms or catalogue, please call at office or address W. B. U., City.

F. J. TOLAND.

## MISS AUGUSTA KNOPP LAID TO REST

The funeral of Miss Augusta Knopf was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the house and at 3 o'clock from the German Lutheran church, West and Cameron avenues. Rev. J. Gamm officiated and Miller Brothers were in charge. Interment was made in Oak Grove cemetery.

## WARDENS ARE BUSY

A big trammel net, 338 pounds of fish and a flat scow were confiscated by Game Warden Kingsley of La Crosse and Deputy Warden E. L. Imiel of Trempealeau county, Friday. The outfit was captured in Crosby slough which is about a mile above Brownsville.

## Our Rapidly Expanding Business Has Placed Us in the Lead.

We are again quoting wholesale prices on ladies' and gents' watches. Here are a few of our specials: Ladies' 14k gold, 25 year hunting cases, hand engraved, finest nickel American movements, regular price \$20, our price only \$12.50. Gents' watch, same quality, but 16 size, thin model, \$15.50. Many others at the same low prices. Once an Irvine patron, always for the quality is always the same. IRVINE'S, 429 Main St.

## CITY NEWS

### WIRING EXPERTS, 227 MAIN.

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C. Amundson of Rushford, was a La Crosse visitor Sunday.

Herman Brech of Dubuque, was visiting in the city Sunday.

Electric fans, \$9. A. O. Colby.

A. H. Harris of Viroqua, was transacting business in La Crosse yesterday.

T. J. Ralund of Mindoro, was shaking hands with old friends Saturday and Sunday.

Y. W. C. A., 410 Cass street, lawn social Tuesday evening, July 31. All are invited.

E. J. Piper of Rushford, was in La Crosse on business Saturday.

T. H. Thompson of Mankato, was in the city visiting friends yesterday.

The fall term of the Keefe Conservatory of Music will begin Sept. 4, 1906. If you are musically inclined join our fall classes. You will find no better instruction anywhere, and our rates are the lowest. Instruction may be had in voice, piano, violin and all orchestral instruments. Enroll now and take advantage of reduced rates for opening.

H. A. Rolands of Taylor, was transacting business here Saturday.

Electric fans, \$7. Electric Supply & Construction company, 227 Main St.

A. J. Marsh of Hokah, was in the city yesterday.

C. M. Thompson of Dixon is visiting with friends.

Robert Burns of Caledonia, is in the city on business.

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L. E. Togg of Milwaukee, was transacting business in La Crosse yesterday.

A. G. Banks of Milwaukee, was a La Crosse visitor Saturday.

Miss Otellia Sattari and Miss Alma Bratner of Rochester are visiting Mrs. E. M. Young.

Miss Madge Gaskel, who has been visiting Miss Miriam Harrison of this city, has returned to her home in Cedar Rapids.

Three cases are on the calendar in Judge Daniels' court today. They are: Edward Tessmer vs. Wooley & Hanson; Paul Rewey vs. Wooley & Hanson; Otto Krueger vs. Emery Reid.

If you will do your next washing with Beach's Peosta Soap according to direction, we will refund the money you paid for the soap if your clothes are not whiter, and the labor less than when you use any other soap. Ask your grocer.

L. J. Martin of Viroqua, is visiting friends and relatives in the city today.

B. Close of Necedah, was in La Crosse yesterday.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women. May and Kathleen Martin of Viroqua are visiting friends here this week.

Ed Aldrich of Dubuque, is in town on business.

Moonlight excursion on the steamer J. S. July 30, 8 to 11:30 p. m. Fare, gentlemen 50 cents, ladies 25 cents. Music for dancing.

H. C. Kover of Eland, was a La Crosse visitor Sunday.

S. Danielson of Rushford, was visiting friends in the city yesterday.

The fall term of the Keefe Business college will begin Sept. 4, 1906. The course of subjects includes bookkeeping, arithmetic, commercial law, penmanship, language, shorthand, typewriting, spelling, etc., tabulating, filing and office practice. Reduced rates to those enrolling before the opening.

F. A. Gantert is in the east purchasing the new fall stock of furniture and rugs for the S. Gantert Furniture company.

Mrs. George Kuehl returned to her home in Chicago after spending the past two weeks at the home of Mrs. S. Gantert.

It has been announced by officials of the Milwaukee road that the double track between Portage and Watertown Junction will be completed Oct. 1.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Louis Gilbertson, the bankrupt shoe man, who was summoned to appear before Judge Prentiss and show why he should not turn \$11,000 over to his creditors, had his case adjourned until Aug. 17.

The gauging stations at Eau Claire and Neilsville are, through the efforts of Congressman Esch, to be continued.

Dr. J. M. Stickler of Osage, Ia., is in town visiting friends.

Mrs. Alonzo Kittman has returned from Galesville where she has been visiting with friends.

Major Richards has returned to his

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Three-Piece Summer Suits that were \$ 8.00	now	\$ 6.00

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Come in Sparta after a short visit in the city.

Wanted—Three electricians, A. O. Colby.

S. A. Cummings and Leo Meyer are spending a few days in Milwaukee.

Elder Vance will hold quarterly meetings in Melrose this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boyd left for Milwaukee last night where they will attend the funeral of Mrs. Boyd's brother, Mr. Calloway.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

Mrs. James Boyd and son Robert, of Minneapolis, are spending a few days with friends and relatives in the city.

At a meeting of the bowlers' league at Miller Brothers to talk over their annual outing a committee of two, C. A. Hunt and William Tisch, was appointed. It was proposed that the excursion go up river but full details were not given.

CHANDLIER PARLOR, 227 Main.

## BONDING COMPANY IS AFTER BOOTH

A warrant for the arrest of J. W. Booth on the charge of embezzlement has been issued on the complaint of his bonding company. With this charge and the charge of deserting his wife staring him in the face it will be very hard for him to avoid apprehension. The former of the two charges is the more serious and will be pushed to the limit.

## WATER BONDS NOT YET SOLD

Bids for extending the water mains were opened Saturday by the board of public works. There were but two bids received, one from Groff & Derr and one from Thill & Lapitz, the latter being the lowest. The contract has not been awarded as yet as the water bonds have not been disposed of.

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## ONALASKA NEWS

Mrs. G. W. Brice is spending a few days with friends at La Crosse.

The L. S. S. was entertained by Mrs. M. M. Buttles Thursday. A large number of guests from out of town were present.

The benefit supper held at Smith's hall Thursday night was a success and netted \$18 profit.

Chas. Maynard gave a dance at Woodman hall Thursday night. Quall's orchestra furnished music.

Mrs. M. L. Conrow left Wednesday for Whitehall to visit her son.

A pleasant surprise party was held at the home of John Brooks Wednesday afternoon and evening, the occasion being the birthday of Mr. Brooks.

A number of small parties are camping at the head of the island near Rice Lake.

Mrs. John Johnson will move to Minneapolis Tuesday.

It has gone out of fashion to boast of never reading ads. Those who do not, nowadays, are inclined to keep quiet about it, as they would about any other personal short-coming.

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## Grape-Nuts



## GAME WARDEN SELLS CONFISCATED NETS AT AUCTION

This morning Game Warden George L. Kingsley held an auction at the Black river bridge of a large amount of goods which he has confiscated during the past few days. Loaded into a flat scow were some lines, nets and

other fishermen's articles which had been used without license.

Kingsley has been after the law-breakers of late and has confiscated articles belonging to a large number of fishermen who were not angling legally.

## MACK WAS AN OLD JAIL-BIRD

Undersheriff William J. Scott has returned from Waupun where he delivered John Mack, convicted of stealing brass from the Burlington shops and who was sentenced to one year by Judge Brindley, and he brings the information that Mack is an old crook. "Mack" was arrested and sentenced

to a year and a half from Columbia county as John "Stevenson," and to a year from Jefferson county under still another name. Both charges were burglary.

Mack declared here that he had been a respectable working man of Milwaukee for the past eighteen years.

## FINED \$50 FOR DYNAMITING FISH

George Mueller pleaded guilty in Judge Brindley's court this afternoon to the charge of dynamiting fish. He was fined \$50 and costs amounting to \$54.

## ISSUE SECOND PAPERS AUGUST 1ST

Judge Fruit has set Aug. 1 as the day upon which full citizenship papers will be issued again under the old law, which admits aliens for a fee of \$2.

## OKU CHIEF OF THE GENERAL STAFF TO SUCCEED KODAMA

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

TOKIO, July 30.—General Oku has been appointed chief of the general staff to succeed Kodama, who died.

## "PRESIDENT"

(Continued from page 1.)

Belfast, Br. m. (Kimlin). . . . . 7 5 6  
Time—2:08½, 2:09¼, 2:08½.

A dispatch from Windsor has the following to say regarding the day's racing:

"The summer harness meeting at Windsor ended Saturday with some fine drives, fast time, and a little scandal. The feature event was the 2:10 trot, in which Geers landed the money with Gold Dust Maid, favorite. The President led in the opening heat and had just enough at the end to win by a nose from Gold Dust Maid. Next time Geers made a little longer drive and beat the President a neck at the end. The other heat was easy for Gold Dust Maid.

"Geers was not so fortunate in the 2:12 trot, carried over two days, for Lake Queen ad the speed and won cleverly. Lady Gail Hamilton breaking in the stretch.

"The Canadians cut loose a great pacer in the 2:14 class and reaped the benefit at odds of from 12 up to 20 to 1. Darkey Hal matched off with three heats in impressive style, never being in danger and joggling in 2:07¾. Her owner brought out Harford H. and this horse promises to be equally as good as that free for all winner.

"The 2:20 pace was won by George R. (whose driver, J. Boone, was fined \$50 for laying up the first heat, Driver Colby, behind Mabel T., was fined \$50 for not trying to win the third heat, then went on and won the fourth. From here the horses go to Kalamazoo and Cleveland for next week."

"President won first heat, eight quarter second, second heat nine quarter, third heat eight half."

This telegram, received Saturday night is what caused local horsemen to believe the President had won the race; the mistake in punctuation being the cause of the misapprehension.

## PROPERTY TRANSFER

Theresa Knoblock has transferred to Joseph Knoblock property in the town of Shelby for a consideration of \$1,100.

## ACORNS, 5; SNUGS, 3

The Acorns defeated the Baker's Snugs yesterday afternoon by a score of 5 to 3, on the Sixteenth and Farewell street grounds.

## Vladimir Is Also Safe

PARIS, July 30.—An unsuccessful attempt was made today to dynamite a train bearing Russian Grand Duke Vladimir through Belgium.

Tribune Wants always bring good results.

## WHAT IS WORN.

Jaunty Runabout Suits—New Ideas For Bathing Costumes—Vanity Bags.

Cotton beige suiting looks very like wool and is used for jaunty little runabout suits.

Bandanna handkerchiefs make picturesque headresses for wear with bathing suits and completely hide the unsightly rubber cap.

The very latest bathing suits are cut all in one, then plaited in about the waist and hips like the princess gowns.

A stunning shirt waist suit is made of white satin faced silk, with coin



BOYS TAILORED BLOUSE.

dots of black at intervals of five inches. A touch of color is given by a pale pink empire girdle.

Tattooing is a modish trimming for children's and grownups' morning dresses.

One of the novelties of the season is the wearing of a quiet gown with bright lined accessories. A woman in a shepherd's plaid suit, for instance, will wear a red hat, girdle and hand bag, while a white gowning young woman will array herself in a necktie of parrot green, with hat and parasol to match.

The tailored blouse for a small boy pictured is a neat model carried out in heavy white linen. Collar, side strip and cuffs are of red and white linen cut on the bias.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

## JEWELRY NEWS.

Long Earrings to Be Worn—Stunning Dog Collars—Care of Jewels.

Rumor, which had its birth in Paris, declares that large and long earrings will be worn. Collarless gowns, broad turnover collars with no standing band and fichus in all shapes and all manner of fineness predominate in the summer fashions, but a long expanse of bare throat, ending in a plain turndown linen collar or a tiny frill, is not universally becoming, so that the earring, it seems, will be an absolutely necessary adjunct to the summer gown.

Some of the latest and most effective collars are made of a very bright yellow gold, with richly decorated outlines, set with sapphires in panels connected by gold loops and chains. Gold filigree bracelets are also a novelty borrowed from old times, with gem set panels between the chains. The favorite ornament of the debutante this season is the single string of pearls that forms a necklace, but for day-



PINK EMPIRE FROCK.

time wear pendants of most artistic designs are worn upon invisible platinum chains or very slender gold ones.

Very Parisian and smart is the empire gown illustrated. Pink radium silk of the best quality is employed. A decidedly novel feature is the wide sash of the same silk headed with a deep frill of lace. All over lace makes the crossed fillet effect. The puffed sleeves are cut up very high at the outer edge and trimmed with frills of deep lace. Muff makes the chemisette and high collar.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

## FOOLING BENSON

By Charles Freeman

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"No one has been in your compartment since the money came in, has there?" demanded Robert Cable.

"No one," admitted Jack Niblo, "but, on the other hand, I have handled no money from that drawer."

"Therefore it must have been a mistake in your addition. I am sorry, Jack, but we shall have to look to you to repay the loss."

"But this is the third time this week that all has happened," pleaded Niblo.

"All the more reason why you should be more careful," said the president shortly. "It is inexcusable that a receiving teller should make three mistakes in a single week. If there is a repetition of this trouble I am afraid that I shall have to replace you."

Niblo bowed and left the private office. It seemed pretty hard to him that he should be required to make good a \$200 shortage in a single week, but three times when he had come to balance his accounts he had found that he was short. Once it had been a hundred dollar bill that was missing, and twice his sheet showed a fifty dollar shortage.

He had the money with which to make up the loss, for he had been saving up ever since Nettie Cable promised to marry him. At this rate the savings would soon vanish, yet if he was forced to give up his position because he was unreliable his savings would be gone before he could obtain another position without a recommendation from the bank.

It was with a heavy heart that he went to meet her. They were to go to a concert that evening. The girl's quick eyes perceived his despondency, and as they walked along she drew the story from him.

"Who do you think it is?" she asked. "That's the worst of it," he declared. "I have no grounds for suspecting any one. When I come back from lunch to

relieve Benson the money is right to a penny. The loss or mistake or whatever it is comes after that."

"But you can't be making mistakes all the time," she insisted. "Isn't it possible that some one comes into your cage for a moment?"

"Not a soul was in there all the afternoon," he said positively.

"And Mr. Fells cannot reach over from his cage?"

"The money is all in the drawer. He would have to open that first."

"Have you looked behind the drawer?" she asked hopefully. "Perhaps it just fell down behind."

"I had the drawer out," he explained, "and looked behind it."

"Who is that in there?" she asked suddenly as they passed the bank building.

"It must be Benson," he answered carelessly. "He works late on the foreign business. I don't know whether he does it because he likes work or because he wants to make a good impression on your father, but he is at it all the time."

"Is the money all locked up?"

"Benson wouldn't take it anyhow," he declared, "but the money is locked with a time lock. Benson merely uses the small safe with the books."

"I don't like Mr. Benson," she said decidedly. "Father refuses to interfere, but I know that Mr. Benson has tried to get him to send you away and take him as a son-in-law."

"You don't suppose he would steal my money, do you?" laughed Jack.

"I'd think anything," she said positively. "You may laugh if you want to, but somehow I feel that he wants to get you out of the way."

"Forewarned is forearmed," he said, laughing. "We'll fool him yet, or, rather, you will. I don't think I'm clever enough."

"I think I'm as clever as Mr. Benson," she announced, "and I'm going to fool him, see if I don't."

They turned into the concert hall, next the bank, and in the music Jack forgot the threat.

He did not even recall it a few days later when Nettie came into the bank and, after a chat with her father, made her way to Niblo's compartment.

He sprang the latch on the lattice door for her and returned to counting the pile of bills in front of him.

She leaned on the counter beside him,

and as he turned over the bills he glanced at her.

"Forty fifties," he laughed. "Do you make it the same?" Nettie nodded, and he turned to the rest of the money. Silently she checked the other items on the deposit slip, and as the boy turned away from the window she picked up one of the bills.

"What is that?" she demanded, pointing to some glistening particles.

Niblo laughed.

"That's from the foundry," he explained. "Gregson has been buying some steel."

"How do you know?" she asked.

"Gregson is peculiar. He pays cash for everything he gets. The foundry sends him stuff for the houses he is building in the new section, and as the last load is dumped he sends over to pay for it. He will not use a bank, but pays in cash, and he never lets a bill run overnight."

"Does he buy much?" she asked as she fingered a bill.

"They deposit cash about three times a week."

"And always with this thing on?"

"It's steel filings," explained Niblo. "They are everywhere over at the foundry." He slipped the bills in the drawer and stuck the slip on the spindle.

"Jack," she said suddenly, "count the money again."

"I just did," he said, in surprise, as he opened the drawer. The other bills had been banded, and it was an easy matter to get only the foundry deposit. He ran the bills over rapidly, then turned to her with a puzzled expression.

"What do you make it?" he asked.

"Thirty-nine," she declared as she picked up the pile of bills and laid them back in the drawer. "Don't find the other even if you can. Just wait. As soon as you are out of the bank come over to George Castle's."

All through the rest of the afternoon he wondered as he went about his work. There was trouble over the shortage, and Niblo left the bank with a warning that the next mistake would be his last.

He went straight across the street to the dental office in the postoffice building, where Nettie had told him to meet her, and in the darkness they watched the interior of the bank.

At last Benson came into the receiving teller's pen and fumbled there a moment. With a little cry Nettie ceased her vigil and went to the telephone. Half an hour later Nettie, her father and Niblo confronted Benson, still poring over his books.

In his pocket was a bill to which the steel filings still clung, and Nettie led the way to Niblo's compartment. Pulling out the drawer, she fumbled beneath for a second and drew out a heavy magnet.

"I noticed that the filings were pasted on the bills," she explained. "The treasurer at the foundry is Mr. Benson's cousin. They arranged that deposits should be made in the afternoon, when the drawer was already full and the bills would reach high. One bill would stick to the magnet on account of the filings. The drawer is not locked after the money is taken out, and it was easy when the watchman was in another part of the bank to slip in and take it off. If I had not tried to pick a speck off the bill Jack showed me no one would ever have guessed it. He gained his end and the money as well."

A little later Jack left Nettie at the gate. "With the salary that goes with the cashier's job I guess I can afford to get married now," he said.

"For what else did I fool Benson?" asked Nettie as she raised her lips for a kiss. "I told you I'd do it, and I did."

## Facts About Mankind.

Married people live longer than the unmarried, the temperate and industrious longer than the gluttons and idle, and civilized nations longer than the uncivilized. Tall persons enjoy a greater longevity than small ones.

Women have a more favorable chance of life before reaching their fiftieth year than men, but a less favorable one after that period. The proportion of married persons to single ones is as 75 to 1000. Persons born in spring have a more robust constitution than those born at other seasons. Births and deaths occur all the world over more frequently at night than in the day time.

There are at present 3,000 languages spoken by the inhabitants of our globe, whose religious convictions are divided between 1,000 different confessions of faith.

The average duration of life is thirty-three years. One-fourth of the population of the earth dies before attaining the seventeenth year. Of a thousand persons only one reaches the age of a hundred years and not more than six that of sixty-five years.

## The Most Useful Fish.

The cod is the most useful fish in the world. As an article of food, whole, some and substantial, either fresh or salted and dried, it forms a valuable addition to the food resources of the world, and in this and other ways few members of the animal kingdom are more universally serviceable to mankind. Enormously prolific (one fish producing 9,000,000 eggs) and widely distributed, its usefulness is appreciated almost everywhere. The tongue is considered a delicacy, the swimming bladder furnishes isinglass equal to that got from the sturgeon, while cod liver oil has a worldwide reputation as a medicine and food in pulmonary and other wasting diseases, where its highly nutritive properties give it great value. The Norwegians give cods' heads, mixed with marine plants, to their cows to increase the yield of milk. The Icelanders give the bones to their cattle and in Kamchatka the dogs are fed on them, while in the icy wastes, destitute of trees, they are frequently dried and used as fuel.—London Answers.

## SUPPLY UNLIMITED.



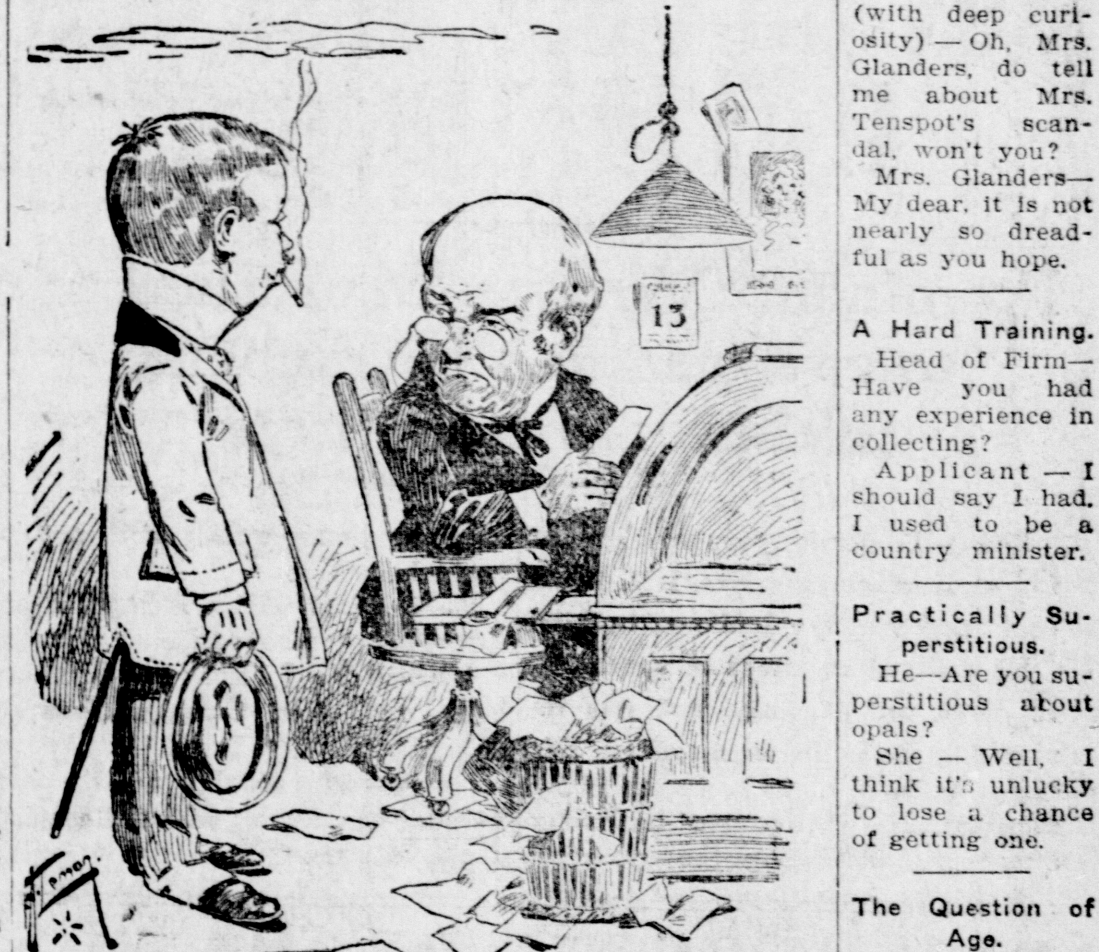
The Colonel: "I fancy your wife lost her temper today."  
Smith: "Not a bit of it. She has an inexhaustible supply."

## CAUSE FOR GRIEF.



"What's the matter now, child?"  
"I bought a pound of April fool pepper candy and no one wouldn't eat none, and I had to eat 'em all myself!"

## WHERE IS HE?



"I've come to answer your ad. for a man."  
"Did you bring him with you?"

## ANOTHER GUESS COMING.



"I understand your wife is financially interested in your business. Silent partner, I suppose?"  
"Evidently you never met my wife!"

Disappointing.  
Mrs. Gummy (with deep curiosity)—Oh, Mrs. Glanders, do tell me about Mrs. Tenspot's scandal, won't you?  
Mrs. Glanders—My dear, it is not nearly so dreadful as you hope.

A Hard Training.  
Head of Firm—Have you had any experience in collecting?  
Applicant—I should say I had. I used to be a country minister.

Practically Superstitious.  
He—Are you superstitious about opals?  
She—Well, I think it's unlucky to lose a chance of getting one.

The Question of Age.  
Jean—I heard May say thirty.  
Ethel—So she was—at one time.



# THE TRIBUNE WANT COLUMN

Advertisements under the following classified headings, are charged for at the rate of one cent a word for the first insertion and one half cent a word for each subsequent insertion. No advertisement taken for less than ten cents.

## FOR SALE

LOTS FOR SALE—We have a number of fine building lots, near good improvements, and lying near the prospective street car extensions, on Market and Main streets, which we will sell at very low prices, and easy terms. Drs. Powell & Powell.

FOR SALE—New fifty-foot launch, stern wheel, twelve horsepower engine, 35 and 25 foot launch without engine, also row boats. Will trade if desirable. Repairing boats a specialty. 215 North Fifth.

FOR SALE—Fourteen acres improved land in Stoddard, good tobacco land. 200 acres hay and timber land. Frank Hoch, Stoddard, Wis.

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern house, centrally located; gentlemen preferred. Apply 1122 Main street.

FLAT FOR RENT—Caledonia street. Modern, \$15. Inquire Marvin's office.

FOR RENT—Seven room cottage. Call at 1612 Avon.

FOR RENT—Barn at 212 North Seventh street.

## HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. The advantages we offer save years of apprenticeship. Positions waiting, top wages. The rush for barbers never so great. Special offer now. Write for catalogue, Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—A man to travel, good promotion to right party. Call at Hotel Stoddard after 4 p. m. J. P. Andres.

WANTED—Two cigarmakers—hand workmen. Standard Cigar factory, North La Crosse.

WANTED—Young men for city and to travel. Apply Mr. Slade, Hotel Grand.

WANTED—First class cabinet maker. Vought-Berger company.

WANTED—Three electricians at once. A. O. Colby.

WANTED—A good shoemaker at J. Arenz's shoe store.

## HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Girls at the La Crosse Knitting Works. Apply at the office at once.

WANTED—Young ladies for home work. Apply Mr. Slade, Hotel Grand.

WANTED—Competent nurse maid at Mrs. Withee's, 1434 Cass street.

WANTED—Girl at Henry & Frank's.

## LOST

LOST—Ladies' white linen coat in southern part of city. Return to Wenzel Brothers, grocers. Reward.

LOST—Scarf pin, gold head, with diamond setting. Return to Nels Thompson's clothing store for reward.

## WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

SEWING WANTED—New dress-making parlors opened at 507 Main, upstairs. Satisfaction guaranteed.

## POSITION WANTED

WANTED—Position as housekeeper, experienced, country preferred. Address Y, this office.

WANTED—Positions by three young men. Address E. L. Tribune.

## FINANCIAL

MONEY TO LOAN—Diamonds, watches, etc. Stevens, 510 Main street.

LOANS made salaried people on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. LA CROSSE MORTGAGE & LOAN CO., 322 Main Street, up stairs.

Let Your Wants  
Be Known

to the people by using the  
Tribune Want Column

# THE MARKETS

## LA CROSSE WHOLESALE.

**Poultry.**  
Old Chickens—8@9c.  
Spring Chickens—12½@15c.  
Turkeys—12@14c.  
Ducks—9 to 10c.  
Geese—8 to 9c.  
Pigeons—90c a dozen.  
**Butter and Eggs.**  
No. 1 Dairy—18c.  
Roll Butter—17c.  
Creamery Butter—22c.  
Eggs—13@16c.

**Fruit**  
California Lemons—\$4.75@\$5.50.  
Bananas, per bunch—\$1.75 to \$3.00.  
Oranges—Med'n sweets and seedlings—\$3@5.  
California Peaches—Box, \$1.10@1.25.  
Plums—Crate, \$1.75@2.  
Texas Alberta Peaches—90@95c.  
Blueberries—\$1.60.  
Muskellons—Basket, 90c.

**Grain.**  
Wheat—72@74c.  
Barley—Bushel, 35@38c.  
Corn—42@45c.  
Rye 45@50c.  
Oats—Bushel, 35@37c.  
**Mill Feed.**  
Bran—Per ton, \$16.  
Shorts—Per ton, \$17.  
White Middlings—Per ton, \$18.  
Red Dog—Per ton, \$20.

**Provisions.**  
Lard, 93½ to 10¼c.  
Hams—13@14c.  
Bacon—12½@14c.  
Shoulders, 10c.  
Priced Hams, 9¼c.  
Dry Beef, 14½ to 16¼c.  
**Livestock.**  
Hogs—\$5.75@\$6.25.  
Cattle—Steers, \$2.50@\$3.50; heifers, \$2@3.  
Sheep—\$3@3.4.  
Lambs—\$4.50@\$5.50.

**Cheese.**  
(By Henry Andregg.)  
Cream Twins—12½@13c.  
Brick Cheese—10½@11c.  
Limburger—15c.  
Daisies—13½c.  
Swiss Block—15c.  
German Hand Cheese—per box 90c.  
**Flour.**  
Patent—Per barrel, \$4.20.  
Straight—Per barrel, \$4.

**LA CROSSE RETAIL.**  
Eggs, strictly fresh, 18c.  
Butter—Dairy, 15@20c; creamery, 23c.

Oranges—Dozen, 60c.  
Lemons—Dozen, 30c.  
Bananas—Dozen, 25c.  
Pineapples—Each, 15@20c.  
Grapefruit—Each, 12½@20c.  
Cherries—Pound, 20c.  
Pie Cherries—Quart, 15c.  
Gooseberries—Quart, 12½@15c.  
Blueberries—Quart, 12½c.  
Black Raspberries—Quart, 15c.  
Red Raspberries—Quart, 15c.  
Lemons—Dozen, 30c.  
Plums—Dozen, 10, 15 and 20c.  
Cucumbers—7c.  
Tomatoes—Pound, 7@10c.  
Wax Beans—Pound, 7c.  
Green Beans—Pound, 10c.

**Fish.**  
Pickerel, 5c; pike, 8c; white, 10c; trout, 10c; salmon, 15c; herring 4 to 5c; halibut, 12c; perch, 6c.

**City Market**  
Hay—New, per ton, \$18; wild, \$5@6.  
Straw—Per ton, \$5@6.  
Hogs—Over 200 pounds, \$6; under 200 pounds, \$2.50@\$5.00.

**Vegetables.**  
Rockford Melons—8@10c.  
Head Lettuce—Bunch, 8c.  
Celery—Bunch, 5c.  
Cauliflower—Each, 15@20c.  
Parsley—Bunch, 5c.  
New Cabbage—Each, 5@10c.  
New Potatoes—Peck, 25c.  
Old Potatoes—Bushel, 5c.  
Carrots—Two bunches, 5c.  
Beets—Two bunches, 5c.  
Home Grown Peas—Peck, 30c.  
Cocoanuts—Each, 5 to 10c.  
Lettuce, home grown—2 bunches for 5c.

Onions, home grown—3 bunches, 5c.  
Pie Plant—Three pounds, 5c.  
Radishes, home grown—3 bunches for 5c.

## RAILROAD RATES

G. A. Encampment, Minneapolis, Aug. 15 to 18—Special Low Rates  
\$3.50 from La Crosse to Minneapolis, Minn., and return on Aug. 11, 12 and 13, will apply for tickets with favorable return limits, on account of national G. A. R. encampment via the North-Western line. Direct route. Splendid train service. Excellent fast schedules. Special G. A. R. trains. The best of everything. For dates of sale and full particulars apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Excursion Tickets to La Shetek, Tracy, (Minn.),  
Will be sold by the North-Western

Line at reduced rates during the summer season from La Crosse, Wis., on Fridays and Saturdays at \$7.45 for the round trip, limited to return until the following Tuesday, and at \$11.95 for the round trip daily, limited to return within thirty days. Lake Shetek is a beautiful summer and fall resort where the best of fishing and hunting can be found, prairie chickens, snipe, ducks and geese being plentiful. Good hotel and livery accommodations at very reasonable rates. The following lakes can be reached from this point: Current Lake, Lake Siegel, Lake Fremont, Lake Sarah, Bear Lake, Long Lake, Buffalo Lake, Iron Lake, Beauty Lake, Willow Lake, Lake Isabella and Clear Lake.

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Via the Chicago, Union Pacific & North-Western Line daily, June 1 to Sept. 30, to San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, Seattle and Tacoma and other Pacific Coast points. Very low rates to Helena, Butte, Spokane, Ogden and Salt Lake City. Daily and personally conducted excursions in Pullman tourist sleeping cars to San Francisco, Los Angeles and Portland, through without change Double berth only \$7.00 from Chicago and \$5.75 from Omaha. Choice of routes. For rates, tickets, etc., apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

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\$3.50 to St. Paul or Minneapolis and Return  
Via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway account annual encampment Grand Army of the Republic at Minneapolis, Aug. 13 to 16. Tickets will be on sale Aug. 11 to 14, inclusive. Final return limit Aug. 31, 1906. Liberal extension granted on payment of small extension fee. For further information regarding rates, routes or train service, see nearest ticket agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, or write today to F. A. Miller, general passenger agent, Chicago.

NEW HOMES IN THE WEST.  
Shoshone Reservation to be Opened to Settlement.

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Announces Round Trip Excursion Rates from all Points July 12 to 29.  
Less than one fare for the round trip to Shoshoni, Wyo., the reservation border.

The only all rail route to the reservation border.  
Dates of registration July 16th to 31st at Shoshoni and Lander. Reached only by this line.

Write for pamphlets, telling how to take up one of these attractive homesteads.

Information, maps and pamphlets free on request to W. B. Kniskern, P. T. M., Chicago, Ill.

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The C. M. & St. P. Ry will sell excursion tickets for the following events at very low rates:

For Pacific coast and intermediate points, sell June 1st to Sept. 15th.

For Denver, Colorado Springs and Ogden, Utah, sell June 1st to Sept. 30th.

For Canadian and New England points, dates in July, August and Sept.

For rates, dates of sale, limits, etc., call at ticket office.

## Friday and Saturday Excursion Rates to Devils Lake, Wis.

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets to this beautiful summer resort are on sale Fridays and Saturdays, limited for return until the Monday following, affording opportunity for enjoying this delightful outing without inconvenience to business. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Special Excursion Rates to Colorado, Utah and the Black Hills.

Via the North-Western Line. Beginning June 1st excursion tickets will be sold daily to Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Salt Lake City, Hot Springs, Deadwood, Lead and Custer, S. D., etc., good to return until October 31. Specially low rate round trip tickets to these and other points, with favorable return limits, will be sold the first and third Tuesday of each month until September 18, inclusive. A splendid opportunity is offered for an enjoyable vacation

trip. Several trains via the North-Western Line daily. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

**Low Rates to Milwaukee, Wis.,**  
Via the North-Western line. Excursion tickets will be sold Aug. 11, 12 and 13, with favorable return limits, on account of Grand Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

**Excursion Tickets to La Crosse, Wis.,**  
Via the North-Western line, will be sold at reduced rates Aug. 6, 7 and 8, limited to return until Aug. 10, inclusive, on account of state association B. P. O. E. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

**Change in Time, C. M. & St. P. Ry.**  
Commencing Sunday, July 22, train N. 6 going east, will leave at 12:35 p. m. instead of 12:45 p. m., and train No. 5 going north, will leave at 5:35 p. m. instead of 5:40 p. m.

**Very Low Rates to Roanoke, Va.,**  
Via the North-Western line. Excursion tickets will be sold Aug. 11 to 13, inclusive, with favorable return limits, on account of annual convention National Firemen's association. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

(Official Publication.)

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned board of public works of the city of La Crosse will receive sealed proposals at their office, city hall building, La Crosse, Wisconsin, until 2 o'clock p. m. on the 4th day of August, 1906, for fuel for a period dating from the 1st day of June, 1906, to the first day of June, 1907, for the pumping station, city hall and the fire stations in the city of La Crosse.

Bidders must state the price separately as indicated by the following letters, (A), (B), (C), (D), (E), Pumping station.

(A). Price per ton for 1,200 tons of Cardiff Wilmington coal.

(B). Price per ton for 1,200 tons more or less of Pocahontas smokeless coal.

(C). Price per ton for 1,200 tons more or less of New River smokeless coal.

(D). Price per ton for 1,200 tons more or less of Ocean coal.

(E). Price per ton for 1,200 tons more or less of Third Vein of Illinois soft coal of different mines.

(F). Price per ton for 1,200 tons more or less of Hiawatha Smokeless.

City hall and fire stations, 290 tons coal of (B), (C) and (D).

Said coal to be inspected by the board of public works in cars at the pumping station and to be weighed on the city scales free of charge under the direction of the board of public works.

All proposals shall be sealed and directed to said board, and shall be accompanied with a bond to the city of La Crosse in the penal sum of thirty per cent of the bid, which bond shall be signed by the bidder and two or more responsible sureties, who shall each make affidavit that he is the owner of real estate in the county of La Crosse, free from incumbrance and subject to execution of a cash value equal to the penalty of said bond, conditioned that said bidder will enter into contract and a new bond within ten days with good and sufficient sureties conditioned that he will execute and fully perform his said proposal and specification therefor.

No bond will be required of any bidder who at the time he offers his proposal as aforesaid shall deposit with the board a sum of money equal to fifty per cent of the penalty of his bond, under an agreement that the same to be returned to him in case the contract is not awarded to such bidder or in case he makes no default in entering into contract with satisfactory sureties if his bid is accepted.

If the contractor fails to complete his said contract on the day mentioned, the same shall pay to the city of La Crosse a penal sum of \$25.00 for each and every day until such contract is completed.

The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 25th day of July, 1906.  
H. J. BECKWITH, ARTHUR J. ROBERGE, GEORGE FALK, Commissioners of the Board of Public Works.

Audited July 25, 1906.  
C. H. CONNOR, Comptroller.

(Official Publication.)

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The undersigned board of public works of the city of La Crosse will receive sealed proposals at their office in the city hall building, until the 4th day of August, 1906, at two o'clock p. m., for furnishing all material and doing all work to fully complete three pumps for the city of La Crosse, one in basement at No. 3 Fire Station to extend 55 feet below basement floor, one at No. 4 Fire Station in basement

to extend 30 feet below basement floor, one at No. 5 Fire Station west of building to extend 60 feet below grade and to use cement curbing where curb is necessary to be used. The bidder in making his proposal shall state lump sum price for doing the entire work, also give price for both tubular and cylinder pumps.

All proposals shall be sealed and directed to said board, and shall be accompanied with a bond to the city of La Crosse in the sum of \$32.00, which bond shall be signed by the bidder and two or more responsible sureties, who shall each make affidavit that he is the owner of real estate in the county of La Crosse free from incumbrance and subject to execution, of a cash value equal to the penalty of said bond, conditioned that said bidder will enter into contract and a new bond within ten days with good and sufficient sureties conditioned that he will execute and fully perform his said contract according

to his said proposal and specification therefor.  
No bond will be required of any bidder who at the time he offers his proposal as aforesaid, shall deposit with the board a sum of \$16.00 under an agreement that the same shall be returned to him in case the contract is not awarded to such bidder, or in case he makes no default in entering into contract with satisfactory sureties if his bid is accepted.

If the contractor fails to complete his said contract on the day mentioned, the same shall pay to the city of La Crosse the sum of \$100 for each and every day until such contract is completed.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 27th day of July, 1906.  
H. J. BECKWITH, A. J. ROBERGE, GEORGE FALK, Commissioners of the Board of Public Works.

Audited July 27, 1906, C. H. Connor, Comptroller.

# HOMES FOR THOUSANDS

One and a quarter million acres to be opened to settlement on the

## SHOSHONE RESERVATION

Dates of registration July 16th to 31st.

## EXCURSION RATES

Low rates from all points, less than one fare for the round trip from Chicago, daily July 12th to 29th via



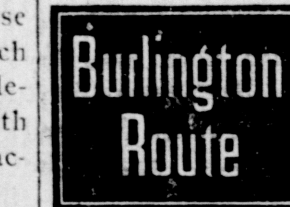
The only all rail route to Shoshoni, Wyo., the reservation border.

W. B. KNISKERN, P. T. M., Chicago & Northwestern Ry., Chicago.  
Please send to my address pamphlets, maps and information concerning the opening of the Shoshone or Wind River reservation to settlement.  
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(Cut out this Coupon)

## BURLINGTON ROUTE EXCURSIONS.

TO MINNEAPOLIS.....\$1.75 (For Round Trip.)  
TO ST. PAUL.....\$1.45

Account Biennial Saengerfest of the Saengerbund of the North-west. Dates of sale, July 24, 25 and 26. Final limit, July 31st, 1906.



J. D. SHANESY, Agent

C. B. & Q. Ry.

# To Devils Lake Wis. AUGUST 7th.

Usual Low Rates for Round Trip.

For further information inquire at ticket office.



## Railroad Time Tables

### CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL.

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Chicago, Milwaukee and the East	2:35 a.m. 12:35 p.m. 11:05 p.m. 12:40 a.m. 5:55 p.m.	3:10 a.m. 7:35 a.m. 10:45 a.m. 5:25 p.m.
Winona, St. Paul & Minneapolis	3:20 a.m. 7:15 a.m. 10:55 a.m. 5:35 p.m.	2:30 a.m. 12:35 a.m. 5:50 p.m. 11:00 p.m. 12:25 p.m.

Dubuque, Rock Island Omaha and West	12:01 p.m. 3:50 p.m.	11:20 a.m. 4:55 p.m.
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Southern Minnesota Division	10:30 a.m. 7:20 p.m.	11:20 p.m. 3:45 p.m.
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: Daily; a, daily except Sunday; c, daily except Saturday.

### CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & QUINCY

In Effect June 3d, 1906

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
For Prairie du Chien, Dubuque, Chicago, St. Louis, intermediate pts. and connections beyond	12:15 night 2:25 a.m. 12:14 noon	3:30 a.m. 8:09 a.m. 6:00 p.m.
For Winona, Alma, Prescott, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Winnipeg and Northwest	3:30 a.m. 8:09 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	12:15 night 12:14 noon

### CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN P. R.

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Chicago, Milwaukee, Madison and East, Duluth and Superior	a 8:00 a.m. a 12:35 p.m. b 10:40 p.m.	b 5:30 a.m. a 12:15 p.m. a 5:30 p.m.
Trempealeau, Galesville, Winona, Owatonna and West	b 5:30 a.m. a 12:15 p.m. a 5:30 p.m.	a 8:00 a.m. a 12:35 p.m. b 10:40 p.m.

References: a, daily except Sunday; b, daily

### GREEN BAY & WESTERN R. R.

To and From	Leave La Crosse	Arrive La Crosse
Aradisa, Blair Independence, Whitehall, Merrillan, Grand Rapids, Stevens Point, New London Green Bay & Kewaunee.....	AS 15 a.m. A 4:40 p.m.	

A Daily except Sunday

### LA CROSSE & SOUTHEASTERN RAILWAY.

To and From	Leave La Crosse	Arrive La Crosse
Stoddard, Chasaburg, Coon Valley, Westby, Viroqua	a 7:40 a.m. b 4:00 p.m. c 6:30 p.m.	a 10:15 a.m. b 5:00 p.m. c 7:30 p.m.

a daily; b daily except Sunday; c Sunday only. All trains arrive and depart from C. B. & Q. depot

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## Tempting Prices TUESDAY

36 inch black taffeta silk worth \$1.50, Tuesday only .....	<b>\$1.00</b>
54 inch black, blue and brown mohair dress goods, 75c grade, at per yd.....	<b>50c</b>
72 inch bleached table damask, all linen, per yard.....	<b>50c</b>
25c children's underwaists, well made, best jean at .....	<b>10c</b>
\$2.00 bed spreads, full size and weight, at each.....	<b>\$1.50</b>
39c hemstitched damask towels, all linen, each.....	<b>25c</b>
\$2.00 black umbrellas, good for rain or shine, each .....	<b>\$1.25</b>
\$2.50 lace curtains, full 3 1/2 yards long, at per pair.....	<b>\$1.65</b>

# Poehling's

Cor. 4th and Main. All Cars Start and stop at this store

## A Porch Light

controlled by a switch in the hall, is good protection against intruders. If you have ever been alone at home of an evening, and the door bell rang, you would have given something to be able to see who your caller was before opening the door. An electric porch light also affords a light of welcome to your guests.

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Both Phones 271. 318 Main St

## Come Now!

If you are walking, quit it, and come to King and get a Bicycle, either new or second hand. We have some bargains. Tires from \$1.00 to \$4.00

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624 MAIN STREET

## LA CROSSE WORSTS FREEPORTERS IN FIRST GAME

## MISSSES POP-UP IN 9TH LETS IN TWO

Teams' Standings.	Pct.
Freeport .....	.642
La Crosse .....	.620
Green Bay .....	.522
Oshkosh .....	.493
Wausau .....	.366
Eau Claire .....	.361

**Results Yesterday**  
La Crosse, 2; Freeport, 0.  
Wausau, 3; Green Bay, 2.  
Oshkosh, 8; Eau Claire, 4.

**Games Today.**  
Freeport at La Crosse.  
Eau Claire at Oshkosh.  
Green Bay at Wausau.

In the first game of the critical series between the champs and the Freeporters, who are now in the lead, La Crosse yesterday shut-out their opponents, scoring two runs in the ninth inning.

A large crowd witnessed the opening game, in which there was no scoring for the first eight innings.

In the ninth inning a popup dropped by Schoonhoven allowed two runs to be scored by the champs, winning the game.

Warhop and Schneiberg both did great work in the box yesterday, but Schneiberg was the steadier of the two and allowed but three hits. La Crosse is recorded with three errors, while Freeport made but one, the missed popup in the ninth which lost the game for Freeport.

Jack Pickett, former famous national league shortstop, umpired and will be in the city during the series.

The champs expect to take at least three of the four games with Freeport and may shut them out altogether, which will result in the champs taking their accustomed place at the head of the league.

Yesterday's score: R. H. E.  
La Crosse .....00000002-2 4 3  
Freeport .....00000000-0 3 1  
Batteries—Schneiberg and Killian; Warhop and Erickson.

Wausau, 3; Green Bay, 2.  
WAUSAU, Wis., July 30.—Green Bay lost to Wausau here yesterday in a fast and exciting game. Gaspar not only pitched a fine game for Wausau, but won his game in the ninth with a timely hit. Score: R. H. E.  
Green Bay .....000010001-2 8 2  
Wausau .....001100001-3 7 4  
Batteries—Charles and Tennant; Gaspar and Ryan.

Oshkosh, 8; Eau Claire, 4.  
OSHKOSH, Wis., July 30.—Because of wet grounds but one game of an advertised doubleheader to open the Eau Claire series was played yesterday. Oshkosh tried out Kerr, a former Three I league pitcher, who allowed but seven hits, three of them in the ninth inning. Score: R. H. E.  
Oshkosh .....00130400-8 13 5  
Eau Claire .....010000003-4 7 3  
Batteries—Kerr and Dolan; Eberly and Asmusen.

**Results Saturday**  
La Crosse, 2; Wausau, 1.  
WAUSAU, Wis., July 30.—La Crosse won the last game of the Wausau-La Crosse series here Saturday by a score of 2 to 1. Both teams played excellent ball. Konetchy featured the game with a home run. The score: R. H. E.  
La Crosse .....02000000-2 6 0  
Wausau .....000001000-1 8 2  
Batteries—Jones and Killian; Miller and Ryan.

**No Game at Oshkosh**  
OSHKOSH, Wis., July 30.—The game with Green Bay was called in the third inning because of rain. Neither team had scored.

**Rain Causes Postponement**  
FREEPORT, Ill., July 30.—There was no game here today between Freeport and Eau Claire on account of rain.

**BADGERS DEFEATED  
BY WINONA TEAM**

The Badger baseball team of La Crosse was defeated by the Winona team at Winona yesterday afternoon by a score of 10 to 5.

You order your own personal supply of "bad luck" day by day. Simply fail to read the ads will usually keep your supply from running short.

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## LA CROSSE'S SLUMP OF LAST WEEK

The La Crosse team, champions of the state league, and leaders until a few days ago, bumped the bumps last week, losing three games to Oshkosh and as many more to Wausau. The team has been playing fast ball and all the crumples except one, are again playing, but it has simply found the other teams to be putting up a game superior to that they have been playing up to this time. The results of recent games indicate that the tailend teams are now as strong as the leaders and that every club will be compelled to fight hard for whatever it wins during the balance of the season. The Freeport team forged to the front last week as the result of the reverses of La Crosse and a series of lucky victories. This team has now a considerable lead, but it does not appear to be materially stronger than the other clubs and it is likely to strike the toboggan in the near future.

The Oshkosh team has been crippled by the loss of its two strong pitchers, Garlic and Moore. The former has jumped his contract, having gone, it is supposed, to the Oliver Typewriter team of Woodstock, Ill. It is expected the state league will take up the matter with the Oliver company and ask it to give countenance to contract jumpers. Garlic had been unlucky this season, but is a good pitcher, and was badly needed by Oshkosh at this time. Mohr, who has been winning almost every game pitched of late, injured his arm in the game with La Crosse on Monday and is now out indefinitely. This leaves Oshkosh with only two regular pitchers and there has been a hustle at that city to secure a couple of capable men.

## SEEK BIDS TO RAZE OLD CAPITOL

MADISON, Wis., July 30.—Formal bids from firms who want the job of wrecking the old capitol building are called for. The advertisements are sent out by Secretary Lew F. Porter of the capitol commission.

## GRAIN IN TRANSIT WILL NOT BE TAXED

WASHBURN, Wis., July 30.—Judge Parish has rendered an important decision in the case of the town of Washburn against the Nye-Jenks company in which the town sought to collect taxes for grain in the elevator in this city on the first of May.

Get the news first, and all the news, by reading The La Crosse Tribune.



**GEO. D. WRIGHT**  
Republican Candidate

-- for --

**CLERK OF COURT**

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1906

# COREN'S

## TUESDAY THE LAST DAY OF THE GREAT JULY CLEARANCE.

The entire store is brilliant with Bargains. We can mention but a few items, they're just hints of the splendid Clearing Sale Bargains that await you. Tomorrow your Last Chance to secure these Great Money Saving Snaps.

### Umbrellas

\$1.25 Men's or Ladies' Umbrellas, fancy handles, Clearance Sale.....	<b>98c</b>
55c Umbrellas, fast black twill, natural wood handles, Clearance Sale.....	<b>68c</b>
65c Umbrellas, special quality, natural wood handles, Clearance Sale.....	<b>45c</b>

### Parasols

\$2.50 white parasols, inlaid embroidered insertion, silk tassel, Clearance Sale.....	<b>\$1.89</b>
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### Handkerchiefs

5c Ladies' plain hemmed Handkerchiefs, 2 for.....	<b>5c</b>
8c Ladies' Handkerchiefs, openwork border, 3 for.....	<b>10c</b>
15c Ladies' lace trimmed or emb. Handkerchiefs, each.....	<b>9c</b>

### Muslin Underwear

\$1.25 Night Dresses, lace or embroidered styles, Clearance Sale.....	<b>79c</b>
55c Night Dresses, tucked and hem-stitched yoke, Clearance Sale.....	<b>68c</b>
65c Night Dresses, made of good quality Muslin, Clearance Sale.....	<b>48c</b>
50c Drawers, embroidery trimmed, Clearance Sale.....	<b>35c</b>
35c Corset Covers, lace trimmed, clearance sale.....	<b>25c</b>
25c Corset Covers, plain, made of best cambric, clearance.....	<b>19c</b>

### Odds and Ends in

Undermuslins at  
Bargain Prices

### LAST CHANCE TUESDAY!

### Suits at Half!

\$40.00 Suits Tuesday.....	<b>\$20.00</b>
\$35.00 Suits, Tuesday.....	<b>\$17.50</b>
\$30.00 Suits, Tuesday.....	<b>\$15.00</b>
\$25.00 Suits, Tuesday.....	<b>\$12.50</b>

### Waists

One Lot \$1.25 Lawn Waists and \$1.50 and \$1.75 Linene Waists. Clearance Sale.....

### Petticoats

One lot Wash Petticoats, made of fancy striped gingham, \$1.25 values, Clearance Sale.....

## NEW INDUSTRY MAY GO TO SPARTA

Sparta has an opportunity to secure another industry that will employ a number of men. The firm that is looking for a new location is Falker Bros., of St. Paul. They manufacture patent well casing, and wood and metal stock tanks. The firm has found out that the northwest does not offer such a good market for their goods as the south and therefore they desire to get closed to the best territory.

L. H. Falker was in the city Tuesday and looked over various buildings that would accommodate the plant temporarily. The firm is at present employing eight men but the business is increasing at such a rate that this force will be doubled in short order. There seems to be no doubt that Falker Brothers will come to Sparta as Mr. Falker expressed himself as very much pleased with this city. If this firm does locate here the city would not be surprised to see another one of our growing industries go in with it next year and build a modern and commodious factory building.—Sparta Democrat.

## WAUKESHA DEMS PUT UP CONRAD FOR STATE SENATE

WAUKESHA, Wis., July 30.—The democrats of Waukesha county, under call of the county committee, held a mass convention Saturday to secure candidates to stand for nomination at the primaries. Twenty-two were present and four or five precincts out of thirty were represented. Considerable difficulty has been experienced in arranging for candidates and, save in one instance, no nomination papers have been circulated. The single exception is George L. Dwinell, who has nomination papers for sheriff. The following candidates will be supported:

George L. Dwinell, Waukesha, sheriff; Calvin Jones, Ottawa, county clerk; Alfred Mead, Muskego, clerk of courts; G. H. Danbuer, Waukesha, district attorney; D. M. Merrill, town of Waukesha, registrar of deeds; Henry Blair, Menomonee, treasurer; W. D. Roberts, Waukesha, coroner; assembly, First district, W. R. Tunby, Eagle; assembly, Second district, William Doolan, Merton; senator, Thirty-third district, August Conrad, Washington county; congress, Fifth district, Joseph G. Donnelly, Milwaukee.

### COBALT,

a newly discovered region, rich in silver and other metals, is conveniently reached by the Grand Trunk Railway system.

A well prepared booklet descriptive of the section will be mailed on application to Geo. W. Vaux, A. G. P. & T. A., Grand Trunk Railway System, 135 Adams St., Chicago.

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This Tobacco is made of the choicest Virginia and Kentucky Tobacco, selected for the exclusive use of the  
**WESTERN TOBACCO WORKS**  
It Excels All Others And

**IT'S MADE IN LA CROSSE.**

## GRAND EXCURSION

ON THE

## PALACE STEAMER J. S.

**TUESDAY, JULY 31st**

GOING 30 MILES DOWN THE RIVER.

LEAVING MAIN STREET DOCK AT 10:45 A. M.

RETURNING AT 3:00 P. M.

**DON'T MISS THIS GRAND SAIL**

FARE FOR ADULTS ..... 50c

CHILDREN UNDER 12 YRS. .... 25c

MUSIC BY STEAMER ORCHESTRA.

## \$3.50 TO ST. PAUL AND MINNEAPOLIS AND RETURN

Greatly reduced rates will be made to St. Paul and Minneapolis and return, account Annual Encampment Grand Army of the Republic at Minneapolis, August 13-16, via the

## Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway

Ask the nearest ticket agent of this Company for additional information regarding rates, routes or train service, or write today to

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